

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*  
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

vs.

RAMON ARAGON, *et al.*,  
Defendants.

69cv07941 BB-ACE

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

COMES NOW the Plaintiff State of New Mexico, *ex rel.* State Engineer (“State”) and respectfully requests the Court to grant an extension of time to file a joint status report and proposed scheduling order as required by the Order (7472) filed June 15, 2004.

1. The Court’s June 15 Order (7472) requires that no later than July 9, 2004, counsel for the State and the Acequias shall confer and file a joint status report on the progress of activities outlined in the Court’s June 24, 2003 Order Adopting Schedule for Completion and Exchange of Historical Reports (7169).

2. Counsel for the Acequias in Sections 4 and 5, Mary E. Humphrey, is unavailable and will not return to her office until June 28, 2004.

3. Counsel for the State has discussed the Court’s June 15 Order with Counsel for the Acequias in Sections 3 and 7, John Utton, but the State has not yet received any specific information concerning the Acequias’ proposed schedule for completion of the Acequias’ historical reports for Sections 3 and 7.

4. Counsel for the State will be unavailable from June 23, 2004 to July 12, 2004. *See Notice of Unavailability (7473)* filed June 16, 2004.

WHEREFORE Counsel for the State of New Mexico respectfully requests that the Court grant an extension of time until August 2, 2004, for the State and the Acequias to confer and file a joint status report and proposed scheduling order as required by the June 15, 2004 Order (7472).

Respectfully submitted,

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